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radio apparatus has been dismantled and is being repaired on shore but difficulties are being experienced in finding spare parts because of the rather outdated model. As soon as possible the ship will be brought into dry dock for examination of all the underwater parts. The Russian crew is still aboard. No scheduled date of completion is, as yet, known.

5. Minesweepers

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The minesweepers [redacted] returned [redacted]
[redacted] the crews were ashore and made a great number of purchases, then
[redacted] all of the minesweepers left. [redacted]

6. Naval Motor Vessels

All eleven KT boats are now on dry land and covered with tarpaulins.

7. Slips

The two new slips being erected to the north of the Breitling are now almost ready to have the cranes mounted, although as yet no cranes have appeared. Immediately to the south of the slips, the ground is being prepared for two other slips.*

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[redacted] Comment: According to the adopted shipbuilding program, only two ships will be on the slips at any one time. The two additional slips may be for the construction of ships (possibly warships) not included in the DDR merchant fleet construction program.

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